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**FLOOR MAT EXHIBITING REDUCED
RIPPLING EFFECTS AND IMPROVED
DELAMINATING CHARACTERISTICS OF
ITS TUFTED PILE FIBERS**

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97, et seq., including specifically subsections (g) and (h) thereof,

Applicant(s) call to the attention of the Examiner the following documents:

U. S. Patent 1,008,618 (Skowronski et al.)

U. S. Patent 3,306,808 (Thompson et al.)

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Swiss Patent 614,853 (Peter Smith Associates et al.)

PCT Application WO95/30040 (Kleen-Tex Industries Inc.)

PCT Application WO96/37645 (Milliken Denmark)

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The above-listed references are provided for the examiner's review and entry in the record herein.

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Respectfully submitted,



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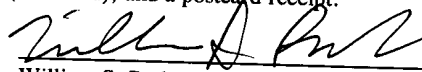
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